DRILL AND DRESS PARADE

Matters Which Occupied the Attention of the Soldiers at Camp Brooks.

CHEERED TO VICTORY BY FAIR LADIES

Competition Encouraged by the Brightest of Smiles-Shadow and Sunshine-General Pope's Proposition - Cut the Price - The Next Three Days.

Dress parage was the big drawing card at Camp Brooke yesterday, and although it was of course on the evening program, it called out a much larger attendance than did the drill contests of the day.

The camp was, as usual, quite deserted during the morning bours, and the Chaffee Gatting section of Denver, Captain R. A. Kincaid, put up its drill before a gathering of spectators consisting chiefly of members of the various other companies in camp.

In the afternoon a few more than 1,000 visitors passed through the gates and witnessed the drill of the Dallas Light Artillery, Captain F. V. Blythe; the Governor's Guards of Denver, Captain William Heinle; National Fencibles of Washington, Captain C. S. Domer; and the Chicago Zouaves, Captain T. J. Ford. The drills of these companies were extremely well executed and the spectators could not but be generous with their appliance. The quartette of ladies assigned to each company occupied a conspicuous piace in the judges' stand during the time that their respective charges were on the drill ground.

How the Ladies Assisted.

The patronesses of the Dallas company were Misses May Dundy, Hoagland and Laura Hoagland, and they presented their favorites, at the close of a well executed drill, a beautiful bouquet of red and yellow roses tied with red and yellow ribbon, the

colors of the company.

Mrs. Adolph Moyer, Miss Pollock, Miss Helier and Miss Mattie Pollock were there to cheer the Governor's Guard, and stimulated by their presence the boys gave an excellent drill, their company firing being particularly meritorious.

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When the Fencibles drilled the judges' stand was fairly overflowing with the fair sex, for the Washington boys are great society favorites. The original patronesses were Miss Tatum, Mrs. John P. Williams, Miss Mamie Moore and Miss Clarkson. They were all there, and so were those sunsequently appointed, Mrs. A. U. Wyman, Miss Hoagland, Miss Helene Wyman and Miss Laura Hongland, together with Misses May Dundy, Bertha Clarkson, Mrs. Elta Matheson, Mrs. Ollle Hollen and Mrs. Crist of Washington.

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At the close of the drill the Fencibles were presented with an immense basket of roses and a bunch of lines of France, and the entire group was then photographed.

Mrs. J. H. Wheeler and Misses May Sherwood, May Poppleton and Clara Brown were there to assist the Chicago Zouaves, and they could not but feel proud of the success with which their efforts met. The company gave a wonderfully complicated drill, and even the judges could barely refrain from applauding the precision with which some of the more difficult evolutions were accomplished. This company was also were accomplished. This company was also photographed with its loyal lady friends, and the ladies were "taken" in their car-riages by themselves for the benefit of the boys.

Dress Parade and Races. But it remained for dress parade to draw the crowd of the day, and there is hardly one of the 2,500 people who were there last evening who will not go out again to witness the beautiful sight. It is getting to be quite the thing to drive out to the camp to view this grand display, and last evening the number of clogant turnouts that lined three sides of the parade ground was unusually large. Everything moved like clock work, and the martial music of the band, the rich full

dress of the various companies, the steady marrhing of the troops as they passed on to the parade ground, and then in review be fore Colonel Richards, the commandant of the camp, formed but elements of a most beautiful and inspiring scene. But even this did not end last evening's

program, for at the request of the soldier boys members of the Gentlemen's Roadster tlub gave a couple of races. Owing to the length of the drill and the darkness they were not completed.

TO INCREASE EFFICIENCY.

General Pope Proposes a United States Hillitia Department.

Boston, Mass., June 13 .- To the Editor of THE BEE: I have the honor to ask your opinion of the desirability of the adjutant generals of the militia of the several states memorializing congress on the subject of there being established a special branch of the War department to be known as the militia department. This department to be under the control of the secretary of war, and to have as its chief an officer of the rank of brigadier general, who shall have a suitable staff; the chief and staff to be officers of the regular army. The object of this department being to promote the efficiency of the militia.

It is believed that a department of this the organization, equipment, drill, effective-ness and value of the multia. Under the general direction of such a department the national militia would become a homogeneous body of soldiers of far greater value than is possible under the diversified systems now

In use throughout the union.

The state organization and state command to be the same as at present; the governor of each state being the commander-in-chief of the militia and having the right to ap-point his own staff. The change being prin-cipally to secure to the state greater advantages of uniformity of organization, equipment and drill, and a body of highly educated officers, whose entire business would be to advise and instruct the militia. Another advantage would be that this would probably lead to the augmentation of the

esent appropriation for the militia. Will you kindly call the attention of some will you kindly call the attention of some of the more prominent militia officers of your state to the subject! I should be pleased to learn your views and theirs. Should a sufficient number of favorable opinions be received to justify it, a memorial will be prepared and circulated for signature. Very respectfully yours, ALBERT A. Pors.

Shadow and Sunshine. A duli, leaden sky greeted the soldier boys as they emerged from their little white homes yesterday morning. The night had been a rough one, and scarcely anybody got any sleep. Surely the promise for a good drill day was not flattering and the outlook dampened the arder of the drill teams and nearly everybody was as cross as a bear. Just after the first call for guard mount it commenced to rain a little, and the hopes and spirits of the fighters for the big prize fell a little lower. After breakfast the mon who were not on guard detail went sullenly to work to clean their arms and accourre

ments, which were in bad condition after being used during the sham battle. In about an hour a high wind sprang us and soon scattered the dark banks of clouds and the sun burst forth. Then the boys yelled. And such yells. Each company yied yelied. And such yells. Each company vied with its neighbor in trying to outyell the other. The sunshine changed the whole aspect of the camp. Everyone's countenance brightened up and the camp work which had been so sullenly performed before was now quickly hurried through, and the companies ordered out for inspection marched into the parade grounds cheering.

Hoaxed the Absentees

Someone, just who it was nobody knows. concocted and executed a practical joko Wednesday night which caused about 103 of the men out at camp considerable annoyance. About 11:30 o'clock two soldiers, one dressed as a sergeant and the other a lieutenant, routed out a half dozen men in different parts of the camp for guard duty. The leatenant marched his squad to the Sherman avonue gate and posted it there. Orders were given to allow no one to enter or leave the grounds without a pass properly signed. A good many of the boys had stayed down town until the last car. This brought a big load, including the entire Thursday, Friday and Saturday your choice of 1,000 suits, worth up to \$12,

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COR. THIRTEENTH AND FARNAM STREETS

There is only a short time left to wind up the Hell-

Hale Zouave company in charge of Captain Lechtman. When the guards were approached they denied admission to one and all. Pleading, entreaties and even threats were in vain. The sentries were obdurate and gave it out cold that the entire crowd would have to stand outside until morning. This made the boys on the outside of the high fonce angry. A council of war was held on the sidewalk and the thing was talked over and it was decided to force an

talked over, and it was decided to force an entrance and take chances of punishment in Several of the officers then ascended the steps to the gate to make one more appeal t the guards and acquaint them with the de-cision of the gang. When they reached the gate the officers looked in vain for the

determined locking men who but a moment before had stood there with gleaming bayonets across the entrance.

The crowd saw that they had been sold and came in with a rush, and deployed about

the grounds to hunt for the perpetrators of the joke, but they haven't been found yet. Today, Tomorrow and Sunday. The companies that drill today are the McCarthy Light Guards and Flotcher Rifles, both of Little Rock; Sealy Rifles of Galveston and Zollinger Battery of Fort Wayne. Saturday's program includes an interest

mg demonstration of street fighting under direction of Colonel Richards. This will show the work of troops in hollow square and the machine guns on the flanks will deal teath and destruction to an imaginary m will be an interesting day at the Sunday Sunday will be an interesting day at the camp. The following excellent program will be strictly carried out: At 9 a.m., guard mount; 10:30, sermon by Dean Gardner of Trinity cathedral, in the grand stand; 3 p. m., individual drill for the Raymond gold m., individual drill for the Raymond gold medal for the best drilled soldier in camp. There are over fifty entries, and all will be drilled in a company, each in the umform of the company to which he belongs. As the men make blunders they will be dropped out. After this, exhibition drills will be given by the Indianapolis Light Artillory, Dallas Artillery, Zollinger battery, Omana Guards, Chaftee and Cincinnati Gatling sections, and by some of the best infantry companies in

At 6 o'clock the "Giraffe Huzzars" will give a drill. Each man participating is over six feet tall, and the uniforms will be those of nearly overy company in camp.

At 7 o'clock there will be dress parade, and at 7:30 a sacred concert by the band. The admission Sunday will be but 25 cents,

Costs You a Quarter Now. The executive committee last evening decided to yield to the popular demand for popular prices, and henceforth the admission to the grounds will be only 25 cents. The reduction is made in order to give every one an opportunity to enjoy to the utmost the interesting program given each day and the

Notes of the Camp. If there is anything Cook hates its police

Walker is the fattest and largest man in The boys all think that Commandant Richards is about right.

The sliver badges of the Chaffee Light Artiliery are much admired. The Belknap Rifles drill for the big prize Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Trumpeter Dady of the Second infantry is

all right when it comes to sounding bugle The Omaha Guards' quarters were hand-somely decorated with Chinese lanterns last night.

Privates Walker and Fabj of the Galveston gang are never happy unless playing a joke on somebody.

Mrs. Pickering, wife of Lieutenant Picker-ing, U. S. A., one of the judges, is a daily visitor at the camp. The McCarthy Light Guards have an ele gant plano at headquarters and entertain their visitors very meety.

The Fletcher Ridos spend more than half

their time drilling. Th y claim to have the in side track on the prize. Mrs. Colouel Mulford sent the boys out a fine lunch, which was greatly enjoyed. The Guards swear by ldrs. Mulford. Captain Bell of the Lima City Guards was

officer of the day and Licutenaut Johnson of the McCarthys officer of the goard. Captaic Kincald, commanding the Chaffee Light Artillery of Denver, entertained their spousor, maid of honor and several guests. The young ladies say that the rest of the

patteries ain't in it along with the Denver

boys.

Captain Wing of the McCarthys has his cantrol. Their camp dismen under perfect control. Their camp discipline is generally remarked upon by vis-Captain Bamford, in command of the Gat-

section of the Omaha Guards, is workwinner. morning the wind howled through the "white and a dozen or more of the tents were

biown down. Captain Green of the Belknaps keeps pretty close eye on his men. The boys think it's a little hard, sometimes, but know that

it's for the company's good. Quartermaster Marrast of the Sealys, who has been missing for two days, returned to camp Thursday morning. Ed told his captain that he went down town and got lost.

Some one bent on a little fun stole the "World's Fair street" sign of the Chicago Zouaves and planted it in front of the little pond at the entrance to the camp. Dugey of the Sealys woke up and found his feet tied to the ridge pole of his tent.

He swears vengeance on the perpetrator of the joke if he can discover who it was. The Sealy boys of Galveston drill today, and as the boys want to take the \$5,000 and the silver cup back home with them Captain Boyd is drilling them nearly all the time. Billy Ten Eyck of the Omaha Guards is having all the fun there is to be had around camp. The boys say that he drinks half a

of ice water every morning before The Sealys tock a ride in a six-horse tallyho coach around the camp and grounds Wednesday evening and leticose their Texas yell so often that nine out of ten of them

had sore throats vesterday. Will Van Lou, better known as "Mother Goose" among the Sealys, claims to have a private entrance and exit. Judging from the amount of time the "goose" spends out of camp, Captain Boyd thinks he must have, Wednesday ovening the Scalys entertained their sponsor, Miss Emma Wakeley, and their maid, Miss Jennie McClelland, Refreshment vere served, and when the ladies left camp the boys gave them three hearty Texas

Colonel and Mrs. Mulford and Lieutenant Wilson entertained quite a party of friends after the sham battle. Among the guests were Mesdames Morris, Wilbur, Reevo, Misses Reed, Doane and McKenna, and Drs.

The Nebraska City boys were in hard luck. They arrived in camp about noon Thursday without their baggage, the train having been delayed. They had to rustle up straw and borrow a few blankets, but in spite of all that could be done spent a bad

Dr. Birney's Catarrh Fowder for cold in head. For sale by all druggists, 50 cents. IN THE COURTS.

Railway Companies-Other Cases, The judges, clerks, bailiffs, jurors and other court attaches who witnessed the sham battle at Camp Brooke dug the dirt out of their eyes and resumed work yesterday morning. Judge Ferguson took up the trial of the ase of James S. Cameron against the Omaha Street Railway company. In this case the plaintiff thinks he should recover \$5,000 from the defendant on account of personal injur-ies that he sustained. By his own testimony and that of other witnesses, he proposes to show that during the night of Novemoer 27, show that during the night of November 27, 1890, he was driving a horse and carriage west on Binney street. At the intersection of Iwenty-fourth street he was struck by one of defendant's motor trains and hurled off into space. In returning to earth, which was several seconds later, he collided with the pavement. The collision came with sufficient force to break three of Mr. Campron's rips heades bruising his head less eron's ribs, besides bruising his head, legs and arms. He now charges that he was ignorant of the approach of the motor train,

and that the motormar failed to sound the danger signal at the crossing.

Just across the way in Judge Keysor's court the case of Mrs. John Kingwalt against the Wabash railroad is the drawing card. In this case the plaintiff maintains that while she was a passenger on one of defendant's trains her truck, which contained jewelry and diamonds of the value of \$500, was broken open. The sparklers were extracted and now the company is arranginged in court where it is asked to feet arraigned in court, where it is asked to foot

the bill.
In the case of Robert H. Otmstead, admin-

istrator of the estate of Willie Daniels, deceased, against B. H. Post, the jury returned a verdict, finding that the plaintiff was entitled to \$1,583 and costs.

In the Criminal Court.

The criminal court, Judge Davis presiding, disposed of the case of the state against John W. Saunders and Cora Peterson, charged with unlawful conabitation. The defendant Saunders, is a black, burly, uncouth negro, while the codefendant is a modest and rather pretty Swode girl. The information charged that the two persons had lived to-gether as man and wife from January 15

until the date of their arrest, which was during the latter part of March. The jurors listened to the disrusting testimony, and after being out ten minutes returned a verdict of guilty. Saunders was immediately brought up for seatence. He was ordered to jail to remain six months, besides paying a fine of \$50 and costs. The sentence, however, was suspended, providing Saunders would leave the city within two days and never return. He promised. The girl, Cora Peterson, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and do six months in the county jail, but in her case the sentence was susended so long as she remains upon her good

Kate Summer Camp is on trial. The woman, who was the head jerker in a beer garden opposite Fort Omaha last summer, is charged with having retailed liquor without first having secured a license. The information charges that Nora Dooley was the purchaser.
Samuel Wellman and Aivin Leosure, the

two lads who were charged with having stolen lead pipe from a store building on South Eleventh street, were arraigned this morning and pleaded not guilty. Their parents furnished ball and the cases were continued until the September term. Judge Irvin has granted a temporary in

uaction, restraining the shariff from selling the leasehold interest in the let on which is situated the store formerly occupied by C. A. Stonehill, who went to the wall a few days ago. When Stonehill failed some of the creditors attached this leasehold. The sheriff advertised it for sale, the public auction to be held Friday afternoon. Now Gerald L. Stonehill has stepped in and under outh says that he purchased the leasehold from C. A. Stonenill on May 12, long before Saturday morning Judge Irvin will hear the arguments.

For Assaulting a White Woman.

The case of the United States against Charles V. Middleton, a colored soldist; charged with making a criminal assault upon Mrs. Lizzie McElroy, who resides near Fort Robinson, was taken up this morning in United States court. The accused was de-fended by a colored lawyer, Mr. Silas Rob-

bins.

The assault was made on the 18th of May, while Mrs. McElroy was on her way home from Crawford, Neb., and within about one mile of Fort Robinson. She was driving a team and wagon alone and overtook Middleton on foot. He asked her if he could ride and she permitted him to get into the wagon. As permitted him to get into the wagon. As they passed through a deep ravine Middle-ton suddenly selzed the woman, stopped the team, and throwing his victim to the bottom

team, and throwing his victim to the cottom of the wagen box he forcibly and brutally accomplished his purpose.

Mrs. McEiroy testified that she struggled with all her might to free herself from the villain and called loudly for help. But there happened to be no one near at the time the assault was made. Before the negro had relinquished his hold upon the woman however a meat wagen came along woman, however, a meat wagon came along and Mrs. McElroy attricted the attention of the driver by her screams for help. When the negro realized that he was about to be discovered in the flendish act he sprang out of the wagon and ran over the hills, reaching the post by a convitous route. This is the story as told by the plaintiff and it is supported by a ratter conclusive chain of evicence. The meat man will, it is understood, identify Middleton as the man he saw spring out of the wagon and scamper

away over the fills.

The defendant will endeavor to prove an alibi. The policy of the defense is to show that there was ill feeling between the meat man and the defendant, and that there was a conspiracy entered into by the woman and several other parties, including the meat man, for the purpose of getting Middleton discharged from the army in disgrace,
Mrs. Middleton was the first witness
placed upon the stand by the presecution. Her story was substantially that outlined above. Mrs. McElroy is a frail, plain, coun-try woman who says she has fived thirty-

three months on a claim about fifteen miles out from Crawford. She told her story in a reightforward and graphic manner that

deton is convicted of the crime with which he is charged his punishment will probably be the severest known to human law, for under the United States statutes the penalty for such an offense is death.

CLOSED THE COMMENCEMENTS.

Over One Hundred Scholars Graduated from the Iowa University. Iowa City, Ia., June 16 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Outgoing trains tonight pear over 100 young men and women with their diplomas and boquets and hundreds of visitors who have enjoyed the commencement exercises of the State university just closed. Today was given over to the graduation of the collegiate department, from which there were fifty graduates. The speeches of the graduates were of much merit. The regents conferred the degree of doctor of laws upon Prof. Eugene Wallbaugh, who leaves this university for Harvard. Governor Horace

Boles arrived this morning.

A communication from Washington ordering the insurance of the military stores in the sum of \$5,000 was received. The old observatory under the statutes must be used for the purposes of the past, and it cannot be fixed up and sold as a residence. Leave of absence was granted to Profs. Calvin Weld and Nutting. Mr. Frank Russell will be the university's representative in the three years' tour in the Hudson Bay company's ossessions, and it was decided that the university pay part of the expenses incurred. Dr. Farnsworth's resignation was accepted. Mrs. Ridgeway, assistant librarian, was reappointed for the ensuing year.

Endorse the Minneapolis Ticket. Boons, Ia., June 16 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Today was held here the first of he regularly called conventions in the Tenth district for the selection of delegates to the congressional and state conventions. The result was the selection of a strong delegation practically instructed for J. P. Dolliver for congress. He was commended very highly in the resolutions which were unautmously adopted, for his ability and industry in the discharge of his duties as congressman. The resolutions also heartly endorsed the Minneapolis ticket and platform. The action of the convention does away with the silly story that there was opposition to Dolliver among the republicans of Boone county. There was not a sign of anything of this

rind in the convention.

The delegates to both the state and con The delegates to both the state and congressional convention are: State-A. J. Holmes, J. C. Mather, H. F. Parkor, Daniel Smith, C. A. Barnes, C. Sixbury, J. S. Friediey, James Wilson, R. J. Hopkins, P. A. Stark, L. N. Criswell, Noah Carpenter, Captain Brooks, G. O. Durrell, Congressional-C. T. T. Mason, M. H. Overman, W. B. Means, A. J. Barkley, J. N. Gildea, P. D. Gray, T. Davis, W. F. Boggs, F. R. Hinman, J. W. Near, S. J. Harrington, B. Mummey, P. Livingstone and Henry Davis.

W. C. T. U. District Convention. CRESTON, Ia., June 16 .- [Special Telegram to Tan Bun. 1-The district convention of the National Women's Christian Temperance union convened at 8 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Blodgett of Creston and Mrs. Dunham of Burington delivered able addresses, large number of delegates are in attendance. This evening occurred the Demorest gold ontest, Edith Waight of Clearfield was "The medal contest.

awarded the medal. Her subject was "The Martyred Mother," and she handled it in a manner which won the applause of the large audience.
Rov. Mr. Waddell of Corydon addressed the convention, and in a hair-hour's talk ac-cused the republican party of Iowa with duplicity in the interest of the saloons. At straight prohibition ticket.

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